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CONFIRMATION NO. 2281

## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 4.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

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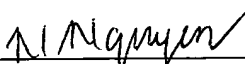
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## PATENT APPLICATION

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Application No.: 10/756,874

Group Art Unit: 3713

Filed: January 29, 2004

Attorney Dkt. No.: 026052-00006

For: BINGO GAME USING SPECIFIED BOARD AND METHOD OF PLAYING

### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Date: August 3, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 14, 2004

(copy attached), the following are enclosed:

- ☒ \$65.00 as payment of the surcharge for the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- ☐ \$\_\_\_\_\_ as payment for the filing fee;
- ☐ \$\_\_\_\_\_ as payment for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time;
- ☒ Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- ☐ Originally-executed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
- ☐ Verified Translation of the Application [with a Preliminary Amendment]; and
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449, \_\_\_\_\_ refs. [and a search report];
- ☒ Replacement Drawings Figs. 1-5B


☐ A Claim for Priority with a certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_ Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_;

☐ Originally executed Assignment with Form PTO-1595 and attached check for \$40.00 as payment for the recordation of the Assignment.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge that all of the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §111 have been met.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the Notice to File Missing Parts surcharge and the Filing Fee described above. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300 referencing **Docket No: 026052-00006.**

Respectfully submitted,



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